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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Xin Qu & Judah Z. Weinberger
Serial No. : 09/657,701
Filed : September 8, 2000
For : MODIFICATION OF POLYMER SURFACES AS
RADIOISOTOPE CARRIERS

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SECOND STATUS INQUIRY

It is respectfully requested that applicant's undersigned attorney be advised of the status of the above-identified application.

A Request for Resetting Time Period for Response & Revival of Application in View of non Receipt of Patent & Trademark Office Communication, or in the Alternative, Petition to Revive Including Declarations of Peter J. Phillips and Wendell Dunn was filed on January 7, 2002. A copy of the Request/Petition is attached, including a copy of the postcard receipt. Other than the postcard, applicants have not received any other communication from the Office in connection with this application.

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On July 12, 2002, applicants filed a Status Inquiry requesting the status of the January 7, 2002 Request/Petition. Applicants have not received any response from this Status Inquiry.

Applicants again, with this Second Status Inquiry, request the status of the above-identified application.


If the Patent and Trademark Office has any questions regarding this Second Status Inquiry, or the Request/Petition, kindly telephone the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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**REQUEST FOR RESETTING TIME PERIOD FOR RESPONSE
AND REVIVAL OF APPLICATION IN VIEW OF NON RECEIPT
OF PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE COMMUNICATION,
OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE, PETITION TO REVIVE**

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In accordance with MPEP § 711.03(c) Section, II, applicant hereby requests that the subject application be revived and the period for responding to the Notice of Missing Parts, apparently issued November 29, 2000, be reset.

As set forth in the Declarations of Wendell Dunn and Peter J. Phillips enclosed herewith, applicants' attorneys have established docketing procedures for communications received from the Patent and Trademark, but have no record of having received the Notice, in either its docket records or application file.

Applicants respectfully request that the application be revived and the period be reset for responding to the Notice, without any petition or other fee being due by applicant, because applicant

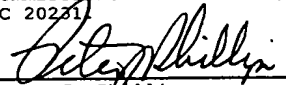
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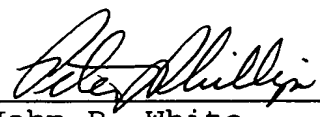
was not at fault, having not received the Notice or been aware of its issuance until December 5, 2001. In the event that the Patent and Trademark Office deems a Petition to be required to obtain the requested relief, applicant hereby petitions for such relief and authorizes the fee in connection therewith to be charged to deposit account no. 03-3125.

If the Patent and Trademark Office has any questions regarding this Request/Petition, kindly telephone the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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DECLARATION OF PETER J. PHILLIPS

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I, Peter J. Phillips, hereby declare:

1. I am and have been since 1990 a partner at Cooper & Dunham LLP, and have been admitted to practice before the U.S.P.T.O ("PTO") as a registered attorney since 1979.
2. I have responsibility for the above-identified patent application, which I filed in the PTO on September 8, 2000.
3. Prior to December 5, 2001, the only communication which I recall receiving from the PTO is a return postcard, a copy of which is attached. The application file for this application which I maintain contains no other communication from the PTO.

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4. On December 5, 2001, after I instructed my secretary

to make an making inquiry to the PTO regarding the status of the application, I learned for the first time that the PTO had apparently issued a Notice of Missing Parts on November 29, 2000, and the application had apparently become abandoned for not responding to the Notice. I requested from the PTO that a copy of the Notice be sent to us, but to date have not received it.

5. I hereby declare that all statements herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this declaration is directed.

Dated: January 7, 2002


Peter J. Phillips



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DECLARATION OF WENDELL DUNN

I Wendell Dunn, hereby declare:

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1. I am, and have been since April 1999, in charge of the docketing department at the firm of Cooper & Dunham LLP.

2. In accordance with procedures established at Cooper & Dunham LLP, incoming mail from the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("PTO") comes directly to me for review and to docket due dates for responses to PTO communications on the firm's docket record.

3. On December 5, 2001 I was advised that the PTO issued a Notice of Missing Parts ("Notice") in the above-identified application on November 29, 2000. The above-identified application has been assigned docket number "62164". I have


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searched the docket records for this application and have found no record of having received the Notice. I have no record or recollection of having received the Notice, and I presume that no Notice was ever received by the firm.

4. A copy of the docket record for this application file where the Notice would have been entered had it been received and docketed is attached. This docket record does not contain any reference to the Notice, or any date for a response to the Notice.

5. I hereby declare that all statements herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this declaration is directed.

Date: January 7, 2002


Wendell Dunn

Docket Number	62164	Attorney	JOHN P. WHITE
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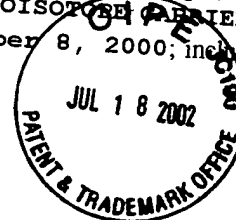
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